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**FOSTER CARE AGENCY (FFA) AND GROUP HOME (GH) FOSTER CARE SERVICES
AMENDMENTS AND CONTRACTS EXTENSION NOTICES**

This is to inform the Board that I used Board-delegated authority to execute Amendment Number One and the first option to extend the contract terms of fifty-nine (59) FFA contracts and eighty-four (84) GH contracts as provided in the Board letter adopted by your Board on October 21, 2008.

Amendment Number One and the contract extension are effective November 1, 2009, through October 31, 2010. Amendment Number One modified and updated various contract provisions as well as provision in the Statement of Work.

The estimated cost of the extension for FFA contracts is \$130 million, financed with 36 percent (\$46,800,000) Federal revenue, 33 percent (\$42,900,000) State revenue, and 31 percent (\$40,300,000) net County cost. The estimated cost of the extension for GH contracts is \$200 million, financed with 36 percent (\$72,000,000) Federal revenue, 33 percent (\$66,000,000) State revenue and 31 percent (\$62,000,000) net County cost.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at (213) 351-5600 or your staff may contact Armand Montiel, Board Liaison, at (213) 351-5530.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors